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RE: Engineering Analysis and Design Review of 18' Diameter and 30' Diameter Hopper Cone Assemblies

Dear Mr. Kramer,

Per your request, KC Engineering has performed a structural engineering evaluation on the 18' Diameter and 30' Diameter Hopper Cone designs provided to us. Through the use of the structural analysis program RISA 3D and manual calculations, we have come to the conclusion that the 18' Diameter Hopper will sufficiently and efficiently support the expected loads however, the 30' Diameter Hopper *is not* sufficient as designed.

Hopper Description

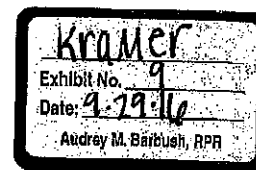
The 18' Diameter Hopper Cone assembly consists of twelve W8x13 columns with the bin stiffeners sitting directly on these columns. This hopper has a 1/4" Grade 50 ksi steel compression ring stiffener and the frame is braced by 2.5"x1.0"x12 Gage Channels in both the horizontal and diagonal directions. The hopper cone itself is 14 Gauge Grade 50 ksi galvanized steel.

A larger 30' Diameter Hopper Cone assembly consists of twelve W8x28 columns with the bin stiffeners also sitting directly on these columns. This hopper has 5/16"x 8" deep compression ring channels attached to 5/16" Plates for the compression ring weldment. The frame is braced by 12 Gage Channels with the horizontal bracing and diagonal cross-bracing both being 2 1/2" deep. The hopper cone is 10 Gauge Grade 50 ksi galvanized steel.

Analysis

The analysis on the frames was done using ASCE 7-05 load combinations and bin eave heights provided in emails from Sioux Steel dated July 17, 2012 and August 2, 2012. The following loads were used in the analysis:

Frame Self-weight:	Calculated by RISA
Bin Dead Load:	6 psf
Snow Load:	10 psf
Wind Load:	≈ 19 psf (Varies by Height)
Grain Wall Load:	47 (As Stiffener Loads)
Grain Hopper Pressures:	Varies per Depth



The grain loads were calculated and evaluated in accordance with *Design of Steel Bins for Storage of Bulk Solids* (Gaylord, 1984) and *ANSI/ASAE EP433 - Loads Exerted by Free-Flowing Grain on Bins* (1998). In the attached pages, the load cases and load combinations are shown in more detail for both hoppers. The attached pages also include detailed information for all of the members and plates.

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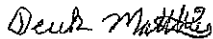
Conclusions

After completing the RISA model and hand calculations, the controlling combination for the hopper and frame analysis is Load Combination #2 (DL+LL). This combination controls for both the column design and the hopper plates. All of the members and plates for the 18' Diameter Hopper fell within the acceptable material limits for each member. However, the columns for the 30' Diameter Hopper were *found to be overstressed by a factor of 1.37* and should be replaced with larger columns. The calculations for these columns can be found on Pages 20-21 of the report for the 30' Diameter Hopper.

A maximum base reaction summary can be found on Pages 519 and 664-665 in the 18' and 30' Diameter Hopper Reports, respectively.

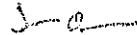
We appreciate the opportunity to provide our services to you on this project. If you have any questions, please contact me at (712) 252-2100.

Respectfully submitted,



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Reviewed by:

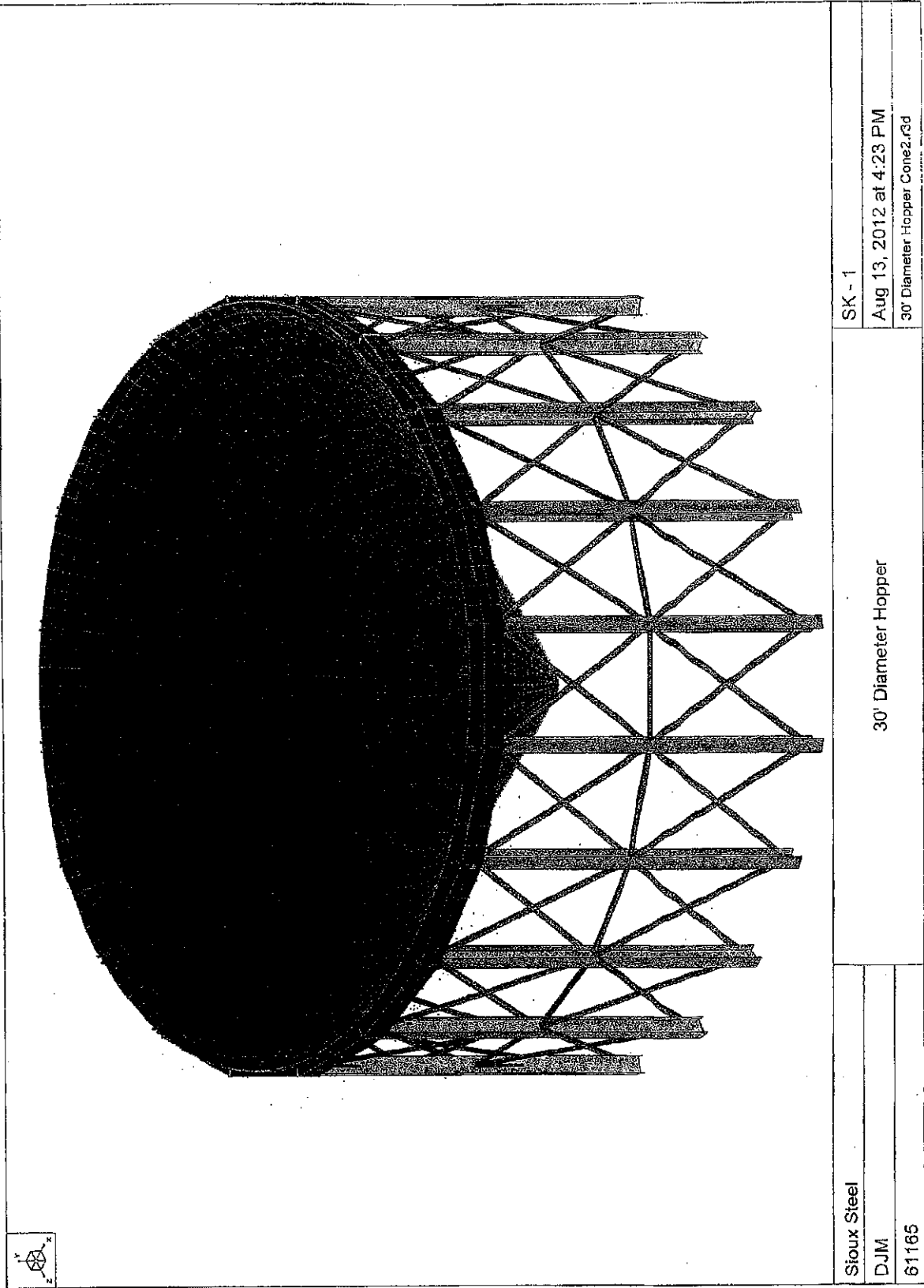


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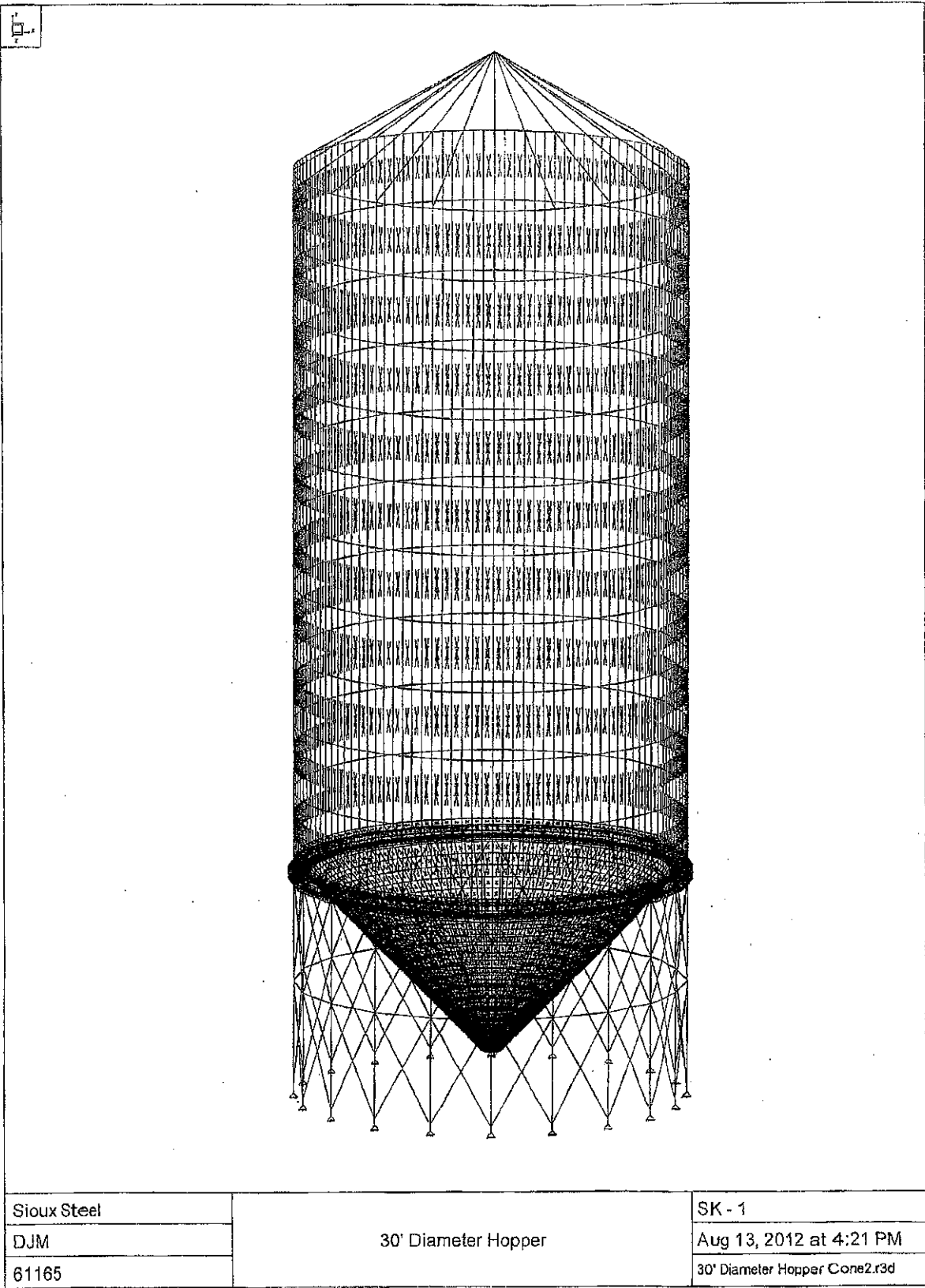
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30' Diameter Hopper

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LOCATION: Sioux Steel

PROJECT #: 61165

SUBJECT: Loads

DESIGNER: DM

1. Bin Dead Load

$$P_s \approx 6 \text{ psf}$$

A. Roof:

$$SA = \pi r d + \pi r^2 = \pi (15') (17.32') + \pi (15')^2 = 1523 \text{ ft}^2$$

$$\text{Where } d = \frac{15}{\cos 30} \approx 17.32'$$

$$P = 6 \text{ psf} (1525 \text{ ft}^2) = 9,150 \text{ lbs.}$$

B. Bin:

$$SA = \pi D H = \pi (30') (51.33') = 4837.74 \text{ ft}^2$$

$$P = 6 \text{ psf} (4837.74 \text{ ft}^2) = 29,026.4 \text{ lbs.}$$

$$\text{Total} \rightarrow \frac{9150 + 29026}{20 \text{ stiffeners}} = \underline{\underline{1.91 \text{ K/stiffener}}}$$

2. Snow Load

$$P_s = C_s [0.7 C_e C_t I P_g]$$


$$C_s = 0.5$$

$$I = 0.8$$

$$C_e = 1.0$$

$$P_g = 30 \text{ psf}$$

$$C_t = 1.2$$

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$$P_s = 0.5 [0.7 (1.0) (1.2) (0.8) (30 \text{ psf})] = 10.08 \text{ psf}$$

$$P = 10.08 \text{ psf} (1523 \text{ ft}^2) = 15,352 \text{ lbs}$$

$$\text{Total} \rightarrow \frac{15,352 \text{ lbs}}{20 \text{ Stiffeners}} = \underline{\underline{0.77 \frac{\text{Kip}}{\text{stiffener}}}}$$

3. Wind Load

$$q_z = 0.00256 K_z K_{zt} K_d V^2 I$$

$$K_z = 1.12 \quad (\text{For } h_{\text{mean}} = 55.7')$$

$$K_{zt} = \text{Varies Per Bin Height}$$

$$K_{zt} = 1.0$$

$$K_d = 0.95 \text{ (Tanks)}$$

$$V = 90 \text{ mph}$$

$$I = 0.87$$

$$q_z = 17.14 K_z \text{ psf}$$

$$q_h = 19.20 \text{ psf}$$

$$C_F = 0.712 \quad (\text{Windward Bin Wall})$$

$$C_p = -0.18 \quad (\text{Windward Roof edge})$$

$$C_p = +0.2 \quad (\text{Windward Roof Middle})$$

$$C_p = -0.7 \quad (\text{Leeward Roof Edge})$$

$$C_p = -0.6 \quad (\text{Leeward Roof Middle})$$



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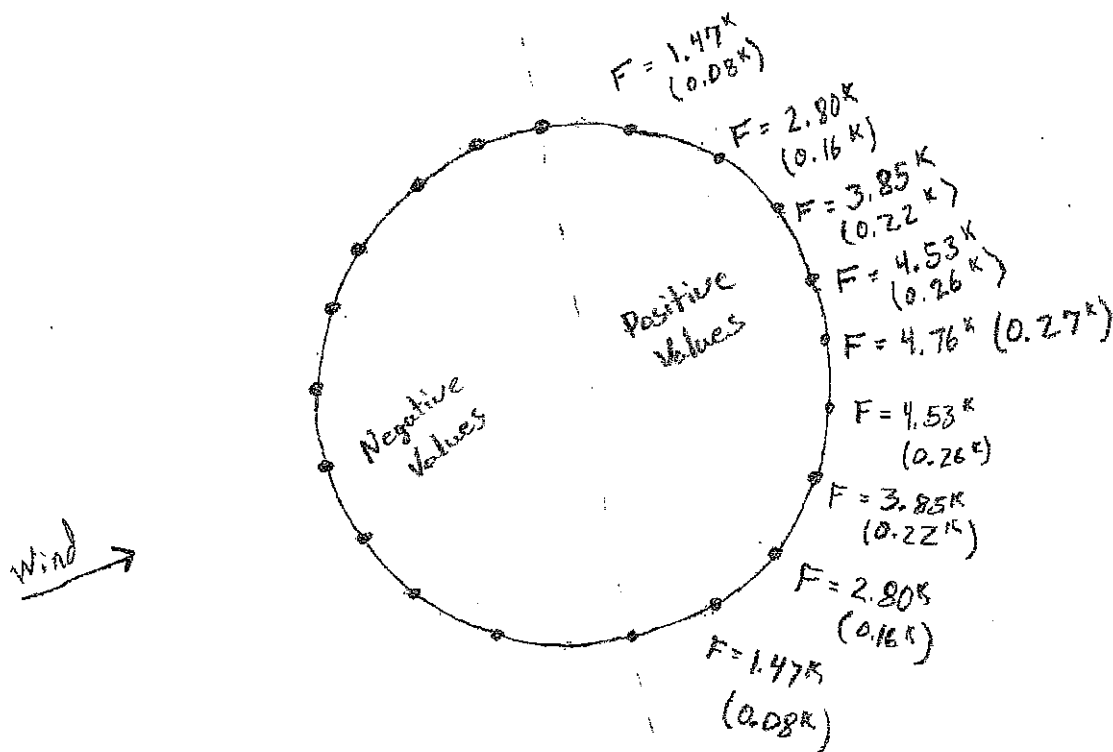
A. Max Overturning Moment of Bin = 714^{1-1} K

Max Wind Shear of Bin = 18.7 kips

B. Max Overturning Moment of Hopper + Frame = 40.64^{1-1}

Max Wind Shear of Hopper + Frame = 4.51 kips

Wind Loads



* Frame/Hopper Loads in Parentheses



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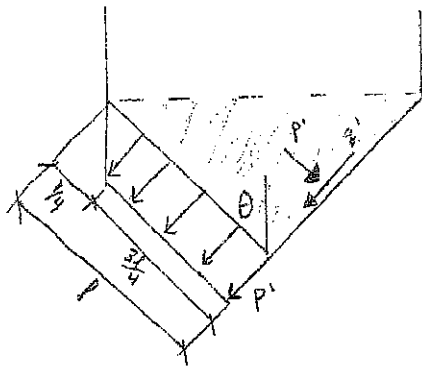
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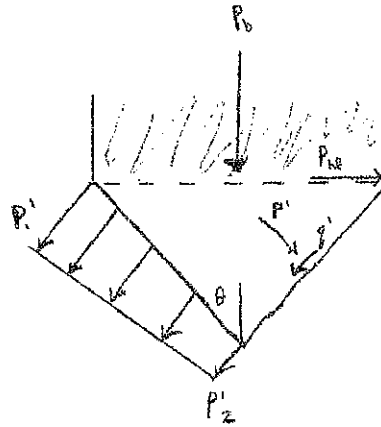
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4. Grain Pressures (Full Bin)



(a)



(b)

A. Pressures from material in hopper (Figure a)

$$P' = \frac{0.68KD \cos^2 \theta}{\sqrt{\mu'}} = \frac{0.6(55.3 \frac{\text{lb}}{\text{ft}^3})(0.5)(30') \cos^2(45)}{\sqrt{.37}}$$

$$P' = 409 \text{ psf}$$


$$q' = \frac{P'}{2} = \frac{409}{2} = 205 \text{ psf}$$

B. Pressures from the material above the hopper (Figure b)

$$P'_1 = \frac{P_b \sin^2 \theta + P_{ht} \cos^2 \theta}{\sqrt{\mu'}}$$

$$P'_2 = P_b \sin^2 \theta$$

$$q' = \frac{P'}{2}$$

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where $P_b = V_{max} = 1650 \text{ psf}$

$P_{hf} = V_{smax} = 825 \text{ psf}$

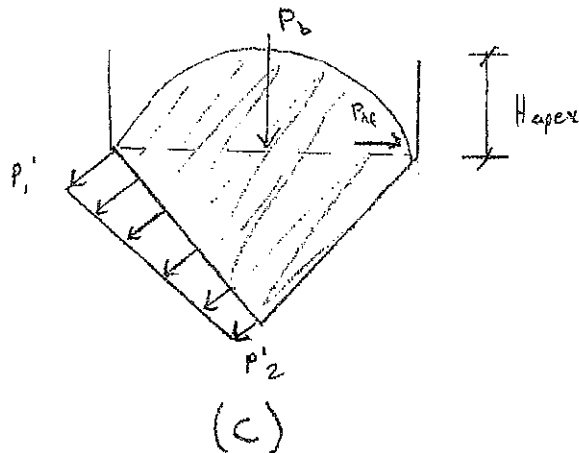
$$P'_1 = \frac{(1650 \text{ psf}) \sin^2(45) + (825 \text{ psf}) \cos^2(45)}{\sqrt{.37}} = \underline{2034 \text{ psf}}$$

$$P'_2 = P_b \sin^2 \theta = (1650 \text{ psf}) \sin^2(45) = \underline{825 \text{ psf}}$$

$$q' = \frac{1631}{2} = \underline{815 \text{ psf}}$$


$$P' = \frac{2}{3}(2034 - 825) + 825 = 1631 \text{ psf}$$

5. Grain Pressures (Empty Bin/Full Hopper)



$$H_{hopper} = \frac{A}{2} \tan \alpha \quad \text{where: repose angle } \alpha = 23^\circ$$

$$H_{hopper} = \frac{30'}{2} \tan 23^\circ = 6.37'$$

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A. Pressures from material in hopper (Figure a)

$$\begin{aligned}
 p' &= 409 \text{ psf} \\
 q' &= 205 \text{ psf}
 \end{aligned}
 \quad \begin{array}{l} \\ > \text{ same as Page 4} \end{array}$$

B. Pressures from the material above the hopper (Figure c)

$$P_b = \left[\frac{1}{3} \pi r^2 h \right] \frac{\gamma}{\pi r^2} = \left[\frac{1}{3} (6.37') \right] 55.3 \frac{\text{lb}}{\text{ft}^3} = 117.4 \text{ psf}$$

$$P_{hf} = K(P_{bmax}) = 0.5(117.4) = 58.7 \text{ psf}$$

$$P_1' = \frac{(117.4 \text{ psf}) \sin^2(45) + (58.7 \text{ psf}) \cos^2(45)}{\sqrt{.37}} = 144.8 \text{ psf}$$

$$P_2' = 117.4 \sin^2 45 = 58.7 \text{ psf}$$

$$q' = \frac{116.1}{2} = 58.1 \text{ psf}$$

$$P' = \frac{2}{3}(144.8 - 58.7) + 58.7 = 116.1 \text{ psf}$$

G. Grain Wall Load

$$P = P_{max}(D') \quad \text{where } D' = \text{distance btwn stiffeners}$$

$$P = 10,020 \text{ plf } (4.75') = \underline{\underline{47.6 \text{ kips}}}$$

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Subject: Grain Pressures and Wall Loads - 30' Diameter Hopper

Designer: DIM

Calculate Grain Pressures and Wall Loads on a Circular Steel Bin using ANSI/ASAE EP433:

Note: This spreadsheet and ASAE EP433 shall to be used only for the design of foundations for steel bins. Concrete silos shall be designed using ACI 313 with conservative modifications in accordance with the Midwest Plan Service handbook and shall not be designed using this spreadsheet.

Input Variables for use in Janssen's Formula:

bulk density of grain, W =	55.3 pcf	use 48 for corn or beans, < or = 52 for any grain
emptying angle of internal friction, ϕ =	27 degrees	use 27 for shelled corn, 29 for soybeans
filling angle of repose, α =	23 degrees	use 23 for shelled corn, 25 for soybeans
coefficient of friction of grain on wall, μ =	0.37	use 0.3 for smooth steel, 0.37 for corrugated steel
k =	0.50	always use 0.5 when using ASAE EP433
Diameter of Tank, D =	30 ft	
Hydraulic Radius of Tank, R =	7.5 ft	
height of grain at wall, Hs =	51.3 ft	

Calculate grain heights, determine whether bin is deep or shallow, and calculate Overpressure Factor, F:

height to top of grain at apex, Ht =	57.7 ft	
height of grain to 1/3 height of surcharge, H =	53.5 ft	
height at which rupture plane intersects =	24.5 ft	< than Hs, therefore use eq. for Deep Bins
Overpressure Factor, F =	1.4	1.0 for shallow bins, 1.4 for deep bins

Use the spreadsheet on the following pages to calculate Grain Pressures and Wall Loads:

$$\text{Static Vertical Pressure at depth } Y, V(Y) = (WR/\mu k)[1 - e^{(-\mu k Y/R)}] \quad \text{for deep bins} \quad \Leftarrow \text{eq. used}$$

$$= WY \quad \text{for shallow bins}$$

$$\text{Static Lateral Pressure at depth } Y, L_s(Y) = kV(Y)$$

$$\text{Dynamic Lateral Pressure at depth } Y, L_d(Y) = FL_s(Y)$$

$$\text{Shear Stress between vertical wall and grain at depth } Y, S_v(Y) = \mu L_d(Y)$$

$$\text{Vertical Wall Load per unit length of bin wall at depth } Y, P_v(Y) = [WY - V(Y)]R \quad \text{for deep bins} \quad \Leftarrow \text{eq. used}$$

$$= S_v(Y) * Y/2 \quad \text{for shallow bins}$$

Maximum Results from the spreadsheet on the following pages:

$$\text{Maximum Static Vertical Pressure, } V_{\max} = \underline{1650} \text{ psf}$$

$$\text{Maximum Vertical Wall Load, } P_{v\max} = \underline{10020} \text{ plf}$$

$$\text{Maximum Static Lateral Pressure, } V_{s\max} = \underline{825} \text{ psf}$$

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Depth Y	V(Y) (psf)	Ls (Y) (psf)	Ld (Y) (psf)	Sv (psf)	Pv (plf)
0	0	0	0	0	0
1	55	27	38	14	5
2	108	54	76	28	20
3	160	80	112	41	45
4	211	105	147	55	79
5	260	130	182	67	123
6	308	154	216	80	175
7	356	178	249	92	237
8	401	201	281	104	307
9	446	223	312	116	385
10	490	245	343	127	472
11	533	266	373	138	567
12	574	287	402	149	669
13	615	308	431	159	779
14	655	327	458	170	896
15	693	347	485	180	1021
16	731	366	512	189	1153
17	768	384	538	199	1292
18	804	402	563	208	1437
19	839	419	587	217	1589
20	873	437	611	226	1747
21	906	453	634	235	1912
22	939	469	657	243	2083
23	971	485	679	251	2259
24	1002	501	701	259	2442
25	1032	516	722	267	2630
26	1061	531	743	275	2823
27	1090	545	763	282	3023
28	1118	559	783	290	3227
29	1146	573	802	297	3436
30	1172	586	821	304	3651
31	1198	599	839	310	3870
32	1224	612	857	317	4094
33	1249	624	874	323	4323
34	1273	636	891	330	4556
35	1296	648	907	336	4794
36	1319	660	924	342	5035
37	1342	671	939	348	5282
38	1364	682	955	353	5532

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 Location: Sioux Steel
 Subject: Wind Loads

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Velocity Pressure on Wall:

$$q_z = 0.00256 * K_z * K_{zt} * K_d * V^2 * I$$

Velocity Pressure coefficient, K_z : Varies per height
 Wind directionality factor, K_d : 0.95

ASCE Table 6-3

ASCE Table 6-4

Design Force on Wall:

$$F = 1.6 * q_z * G * C_f * C_g * A_f$$

Velocity pressure, q_z : Found above
 Force coefficient, C_f : 0.712
 Projected Area normal to wind, A_f : 30 ft²

See Table Below for calculations

Linear interpolation of Figure 6-21 with $h/D < 7$

For 1' increments

Velocity Pressure on Roof Middle:

$$q_h = 0.00256 * K_z * K_{zt} * K_d * V^2 * I$$

q_h : 19.2 psf
 Mean Roof Height, h : 55.7 ft
 Velocity Pressure coefficient, K_z : 1.12
 Wind directionality factor, K_d : 0.95

$$h = H_s + (r * \tan \theta) / 2 \quad \text{where } \theta = 30^\circ$$

ASCE Table 6-3 for mean roof height, h

ASCE Table 6-4

Velocity Pressure on Roof Edges:

$$q_h = 0.00256 * K_z * K_{zt} * K_d * V^2 * I$$

q_h : 19.0 psf
 Mean Roof Height, h : 52.7 ft
 Velocity Pressure coefficient, K_z : 1.11
 Wind directionality factor, K_d : 0.95

$$h = H_s + (r * \tan \theta) / 2 \quad \text{where } \theta = 10^\circ$$

ASCE Table 6-3 for mean roof height, h

ASCE Table 6-4

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Design Force on Roof:

Positive sign corresponds to a force into the
 bin while a negative sign is a force away from the bin

Windward Middle

Length of Section, L_{wm} :	17 ft	$L_{wm} = r/\cos\theta$ where $\theta = 30^\circ$
Velocity pressure, q_h :	19.2 psf	Found above
Gust effect factor, G :	0.85	ASCE Section 6.5.8.1 - Rigid Structure
Force coefficient, C_p :	0.20	ASCE Figure 6-6
Projected Area normal to wind, A_f :	260 ft ²	$A_f = 1/2 \cdot D \cdot L_{wm}$
Force on windward middle roof, F_{wm} :	0.8 kips	$F_u = q_z \cdot G \cdot C_p \cdot A_f$
Horizontal Component of Force, F_{Hwm} :	0.4 kips	$F_H = 1/2 \cdot F_{wm}$
Vertical Component of Force, F_{Vwm} :	0.7 kips	$F_V = (3)^{.5} / 2 \cdot F_{wm}$

Leeward Middle

Length of Section, L_{lm} :	17 ft	$L_{lm} = r/\cos\theta$ where $\theta = 30^\circ$
Velocity pressure, q_z :	19.2 psf	Found above
Gust effect factor, G :	0.85	ASCE Section 6.5.8.1 - Rigid Structure
Force coefficient, C_p :	-0.60	ASCE Figure 6-6
Projected Area normal to wind, A_f :	260 ft ²	$A_f = 1/2 \cdot D \cdot L_{lm}$
Force on leeward middle roof, F_{lm} :	-2.5 kips	$F_u = q_z \cdot G \cdot C_p \cdot A_f$
Horizontal Component of Force, F_{Hlm} :	-1.3 kips	$F_H = 1/2 \cdot F_{lm}$
Vertical Component of Force, F_{Vlm} :	-2.2 kips	$F_V = (3)^{.5} / 2 \cdot F_{lm}$

Windward Edge

Length of Section, L_{we} :	8 ft	$L_{we} = r/\cos\theta$ where $\theta = 10^\circ$
Velocity pressure, q_z :	19.0 psf	Found above
Gust effect factor, G :	0.85	ASCE Section 6.5.8.1 - Rigid Structure
Force coefficient, C_p :	-0.18	ASCE Figure 6-6
Projected Area normal to wind, A_f :	179 ft ²	$A_f = (\pi \cdot r / 4 \cdot L_{we}) \cdot 2$ x2 for both edges
Force on windward middle roof, F_{we} :	-0.5 kips	$F_u = q_z \cdot G \cdot C_p \cdot A_f$
Horizontal Component of Force, F_{Hwe} :	-0.3 kips	$F_H = 1/2 \cdot F_{we}$
Vertical Component of Force, F_{Vwe} :	-0.5 kips	$F_V = (3)^{.5} / 2 \cdot F_{we}$

Leeward Edge

Length of Section, L_{le} :	8 ft	$L_{le} = r/\cos\theta$ where $\theta = 10^\circ$
Velocity pressure, q_z :	19.0 psf	Found above
Gust effect factor, G :	0.85	ASCE Section 6.5.8.1 - Rigid Structure
Force coefficient, C_p :	-0.70	ASCE Figure 6-6
Projected Area normal to wind, A_f :	179 ft ²	$A_f = (\pi \cdot r / 4 \cdot L_{le}) \cdot 2$ x2 for both edges
Force on windward middle roof, F_{le} :	-2.0 kips	$F_u = q_z \cdot G \cdot C_p \cdot A_f$
Horizontal Component of Force, F_{Hle} :	-1.0 kips	$F_H = 1/2 \cdot F_{le}$
Vertical Component of Force, F_{Vle} :	-1.8 kips	$F_V = (3)^{.5} / 2 \cdot F_{le}$

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**Positive Moment means clockwise and
 Negative Moment mean counter-clockwise

Vertical Load from Bridge: 0.0 kips
 Horizontal Load from Bridge: 0.0 kips

Total Edge Length corner sections, ELC:	11.8 ft	$ELC = (\pi/4) * r$	per section
Total Edge Length on middle sections, ELM:	23.6 ft	$ELM = (\pi * D - 4 * ELC) / 2$	per section

Windward Middle

Vertical Component of Force, FV _{wm} :	0.7 kips	Found Above
Resultant vertical roof force, V _{wm} :	0.7 kips	$V_{wm} = DL_{sk} + FV_{wm}$
Distance from Centroid, D _{wm} :	-7.5 ft	$D_{wm} = D/4$
Moment:	-5.5 kip-ft	$M = V_{wm} * D_{wm}$
Horizontal Component of Force, HV _{wm} :	0.4 kips	Found Above
Distance from Centroid, D _{hwm} :	55.7 ft	h (mean roof height found above)
Moment:	23.6 kip-ft	$M = HV_{wm} * D_{hwm}$

Leeward Middle

Vertical Component of Force, FV _{lm} :	-2.2 kips	Found Above
Resultant vertical Force, V _{lm} :	-2.2 kips	$V_{lm} = DL_{sk} + FV_{lm}$
Distance from Centroid, D _{vlm} :	7.5 ft	$D_{vlm} = D/4$
Moment:	-16.5 kip-ft	$M = V_{lm} * D_{vlm}$
Horizontal Component of Force, HV _{lm} :	-1.3 kips	Found Above
Distance from Centroid, D _{hlm} :	-55.7 ft	h (mean roof height found above)
Moment:	70.7 kip-ft	$M = HV_{lm} * D_{hlm}$

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Windward Edges

Vertical Component of Force, F_{Vwe} :	-0.5 kips	Found Above
Resultant Vertical Force, V_{we} :	-0.5 kips	$V_{we} = D_{Lw} + F_{Vwe}$
Distance from Centroid, D_{Vwe} :	-5 ft	$D_{Vwe} = D/6$
Moment:	2.3 kip-ft	$M = V_{we} * D_{Vwe}$
Horizontal Component of Force, H_{Vwm} :	-0.3 kips	Found Above
Distance from Centroid, D_{Vwm} :	52.7 ft	h (mean roof height found above)
Moment:	-13.7 kip-ft	$M = H_{Vwe} * D_{hwe}$

Leeward Edges

Vertical Component of Force, F_{Vle} :	-1.8 kips	Found Above
Resultant Vertical Force, V_{le} :	-1.8 kips	$V_{le} = D_{Lw} + F_{Vle}$
Distance from Centroid, D_{Vle} :	5 ft	$D_{Vle} = D/6$
Moment:	-8.8 kip-ft	$M = V_{le} * D_{Vle}$
Horizontal Component of Force, H_{Vle} :	-1.0 kips	Found Above
Distance from Centroid, D_{Vle} :	-52.7 ft	h (mean roof height found above)
Moment:	53.3 kip-ft	$M = H_{Vle} * D_{hle}$

Total Vertical Force, V_T :	-4 kips	Sum Resultant on Roof and DLwalls : + is Down
Total Uplift Force, U_T :	3.7 kips	If Positive Vertical Force, no uplift on bin
Total overturning moment, M_T :	714 kip-ft	Sum of moments
Tension per Stiffener, T_u :	0.18 kips	$T_u = U_T/N$
		N = number of stiffeners
Total Shear Force, V_u	18.7 kips	Sum Horizontal Forces

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WIND FORCE ON SIDE WALLS

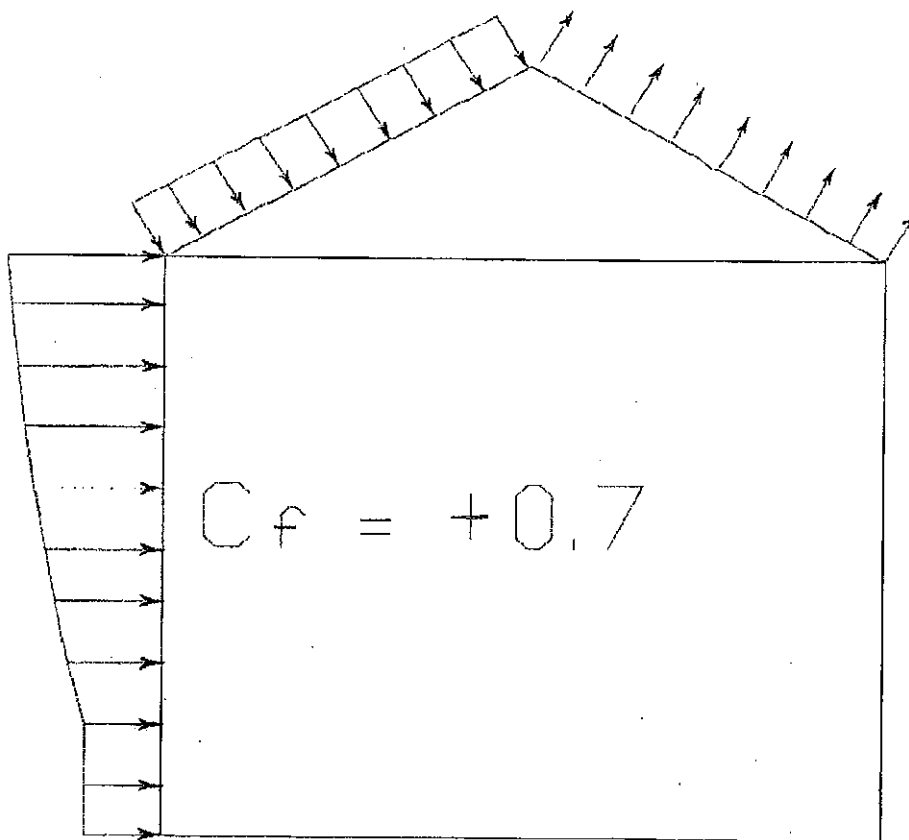
Height Z (ft)	K _z	q _z (psf)	F (lbs)	F (klps)	Moment: F*Z (k-ft)
0	0.85	14.55	264	0.26	2.77
1	0.85	14.55	264	0.26	3.04
2	0.85	14.55	264	0.26	3.30
3	0.85	14.55	264	0.26	3.57
4	0.85	14.55	264	0.26	3.83
5	0.85	14.65	266	0.27	4.12
6	0.87	14.84	269	0.27	4.45
7	0.88	15.03	273	0.27	4.77
8	0.89	15.21	276	0.28	5.11
9	0.90	15.37	279	0.28	5.44
10	0.91	15.54	282	0.28	5.78
11	0.92	15.69	285	0.28	6.12
12	0.92	15.84	288	0.29	6.47
13	0.93	15.99	290	0.29	6.82
14	0.94	16.13	293	0.29	7.17
15	0.95	16.27	295	0.30	7.53
16	0.96	16.40	298	0.30	7.89
17	0.96	16.53	300	0.30	8.25
18	0.97	16.65	302	0.30	8.62
19	0.98	16.77	304	0.30	8.98
20	0.99	16.89	307	0.31	9.35
21	0.99	17.01	309	0.31	9.73
22	1.00	17.12	311	0.31	10.10
23	1.01	17.23	313	0.31	10.48
24	1.01	17.34	315	0.31	10.86
25	1.02	17.44	317	0.32	11.24
26	1.02	17.54	318	0.32	11.62
27	1.03	17.64	320	0.32	12.01
28	1.04	17.74	322	0.32	12.40
29	1.04	17.84	324	0.32	12.79
30	1.05	17.93	326	0.33	13.18
31	1.05	18.02	327	0.33	13.58
32	1.06	18.11	329	0.33	13.98
33	1.06	18.20	330	0.33	14.37
34	1.07	18.29	332	0.33	14.78
35	1.07	18.38	334	0.33	15.18
36	1.08	18.46	335	0.34	15.58
37	1.08	18.54	337	0.34	15.99

38	1.09	18.63	338	0.34	16.40
39	1.09	18.71	340	0.34	16.81
40	1.10	18.78	341	0.34	17.22
41	1.10	18.86	342	0.34	17.63
42	1.11	18.94	344	0.34	18.05
43	1.11	19.01	345	0.35	18.47
44	1.11	19.09	347	0.35	18.88
45	1.12	19.16	348	0.35	19.30
46	1.12	19.23	349	0.35	19.73
47	1.13	19.31	350	0.35	20.15
48	1.13	19.38	352	0.35	20.57
49	1.13	19.44	353	0.35	21.00
50	1.14	19.51	354	0.35	21.43
51	1.14	19.58	355	0.36	21.86

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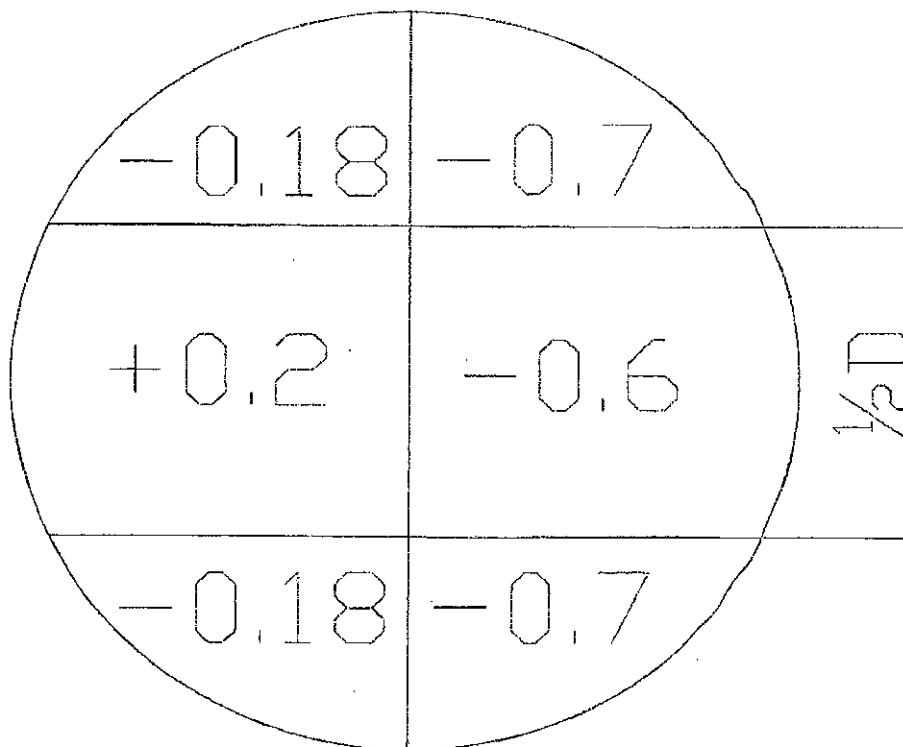



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External Pressure Coefficients, C_p



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$$W 8 \times 28 : A = 8.25 \text{ in}^2$$

$$r_x = 3.45 \text{ in}$$

$$r_y = 1.62 \text{ in}$$

• Compressive Strength

$$\frac{KL_x}{r_x} = \frac{1.0 (17 \times 12)}{3.45} = 59.13$$

$$\frac{KL_y}{r_y} = \frac{1.0 (8 \times 12)}{1.62} = 59.26 \leftarrow \text{Controls}$$

$$F_c = \frac{\pi^2 E}{\left(\frac{KL}{r}\right)^2} = 81.50$$


$$F_{cr} = \left[0.658^{F_y/F_c} \right] F_y = \left[0.658^{50/81.5} \right] 50 = 38.68 \text{ ksi}$$

$$P_n = F_{cr} A_g = 38.68 \text{ ksi} (8.25 \text{ in}^2) = 319.11 \text{ kips}$$

$$\frac{P_n}{\Omega_c} = 191.1 \text{ kips}$$

• Moment Capacity

$$\frac{M_n}{\Omega_b} = 491 \text{ k} \quad (\text{Table 3-10}) \quad w/ \quad L_{br} = 17 \text{ ft}$$

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$$\frac{P_r}{P_c} + \frac{8}{9} \left(\frac{M_{rx}}{M_{cx}} \right)$$

$$P_r = 157.34 \text{ kips}$$

$$M_{rx} = 30.05 \text{ k-ft}$$

$$\frac{157.34}{191.1} + \frac{8}{9} \left(\frac{30.05}{49} \right) = \underline{\underline{1.37}}$$

Not OK



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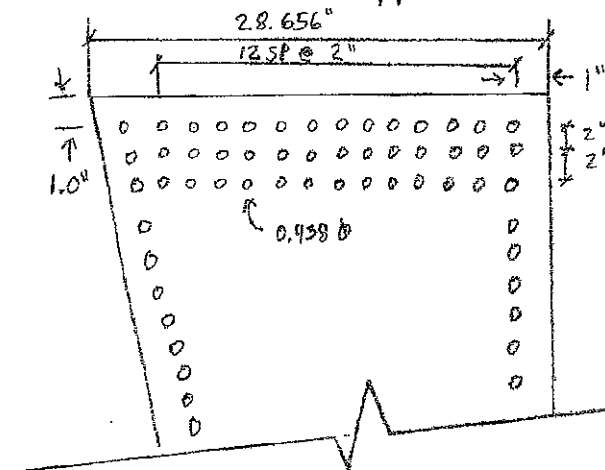
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Panel: 10 Ga, 50 Ksi

$$F_y = 40.13 \frac{\text{K}}{\text{ft}} \quad (\text{RISA LC \#2})$$

$$T_n = 40.13 \frac{\text{K}}{\text{ft}} \left(\frac{28.656''}{12} \right) = 95.83 \text{ Kips}$$

* Gross Section Yield

$$R_n = F_y A_g \quad (\text{J4-1}) \quad \text{where } \Omega_t = 1.67$$

$$\frac{P_n}{\Omega_t} = \frac{F_y A_g}{\Omega_t} = \frac{50(28.656'' \times .1345'')}{1.67} = 115.4 \text{ Kips}$$

* Net Section Fracture

$$R_n = F_u A_e \quad (\text{J4-2}) \quad \text{where } \Omega_t = 2.00$$

$$A_e = U A_n$$


$$U = 1.0 \quad (\text{Table D3.1})$$

$$A_n = A_g - \sum A_h + \sum \frac{s^2}{4g} \pm$$

$$= 3.854 \text{ in}^2 - 14(.438 + \frac{1}{16})(.1345'') = 2.912 \text{ in}^2$$

$$\frac{R_n}{\Omega_t} = \frac{65(1 \times 2.912)}{2.00} = 94.64 \text{ Kips}$$

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* Block Shear

$$R_n = 0.6F_u A_{nv} + U_{bs} F_u A_{nt} \leq 0.6F_y A_{gv} + U_{bs} F_u A_{nt} \quad (J 4-5)$$

where $\Omega = 2.00$

• 1 Rows

$$A_{gv} = 14(1.0")(.1345") = 1.883 \text{ in}^2$$

$$A_{nv} = 14[1.0" - .5(.438 + \frac{1}{16})](.1345") = 1.412 \text{ in}^2$$

$$A_{nt} = 14[1.0" - 0.5(0.438 + \frac{1}{16})](.1345") = 1.412 \text{ in}^2$$

$$R_n = 0.6(65)(1.412) + 1.0(65)(1.412) = 146.8 \text{ K}$$

$$\leq 0.6(50)(1.883) + 1.0(65)(1.412) = 148.3 \text{ K}$$

• 2 Rows

$$A_{gv} = 14(3")(.1345") = 5.649 \text{ in}^2$$

$$A_{nv} = 14[3.0" - 1.5(.438 + \frac{1}{16})](.1345") = 4.235 \text{ in}^2$$

$$A_{nt} = 14[1.0" - 0.5(.438 + \frac{1}{16})](.1345") = 1.412 \text{ in}^2$$

$$R_n = 0.6(65)(4.235) + 1.0(65)(1.412) = 256.9 \text{ K}$$

$$\leq 0.6(50)(5.649) + 1.0(65)(1.412) = 261.3 \text{ K}$$



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• 3 Rows

$$A_{gv} = 14(5")(.1345") = 9.415 \text{ in}^2$$

$$A_{nv} = 14(5" - 2.5(.438" + \frac{1}{16}))(.1345") = 7.059 \text{ in}^2$$

$$A_{nt} = 14[1.0" - 0.5(0.438" + \frac{1}{16})](.1345") = 1.412 \text{ in}^2$$

$$R_n = 0.6(65)(7.059) + 1.0(65)(1.412) = 367.08 \text{ K}$$

$$\leq 0.6(50)(9.415) + 1.0(65)(1.412) = 374.23 \text{ K}$$

→ Compare Rows

$$1. \sum \phi_i Q_i \leq \frac{R_n}{\phi}$$

$$T_u \leq \frac{R_n}{\phi}$$

$$\frac{R_n}{\phi} = 14\left(\frac{P_u}{42}\right) - T_u$$

$$T_u = (\frac{1}{3})P_u \leq \frac{R_n}{\phi}$$

$$P_u = 3/1\left(\frac{R_n}{\phi}\right)$$

$$P_u = 3\left(\frac{146.8}{2}\right)$$

$$= 220.2 \text{ Kips}$$

$$2. \sum \phi_i Q_i \leq \frac{R_n}{\phi}$$

$$T_u \leq \frac{R_n}{\phi}$$

$$\frac{R_n}{\phi} = 28\left(\frac{P_u}{42}\right) - T_u$$

$$T_u = 2/3 P_u \leq \frac{R_n}{\phi}$$

$$P_u = 3/2\left(\frac{R_n}{\phi}\right)$$

$$P_u = 3/2\left(\frac{256.9}{2}\right)$$

$$= 192.6 \text{ Kips}$$

$$3. \sum \phi_i Q_i = \frac{R_n}{\phi}$$

$$T_u \leq \frac{R_n}{\phi}$$

$$P_u = \frac{367.0 \text{ K}}{2}$$

$$= 183.5 \text{ Kips}$$

• NSF Controls


OK

$$\frac{R_n}{\phi} = 94.6 \text{ Kips} \approx T_u = 95.3 \text{ Kips}$$

$$\frac{95.3}{94.6} = 1.007 \rightarrow 0.7\%$$

Less than

2% therefore OK

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* Maximum Hopper Stress (LC #2)


$\sigma_{max} = 28.851 \text{ Ksi}$ @ 1'-6" below top of hopper

$$\sigma_{Allowable} = \frac{\sigma_Y}{\Omega} = \frac{50 \text{ Ksi}}{1.67} = 29.94 \text{ Ksi} > \sigma_{max}$$

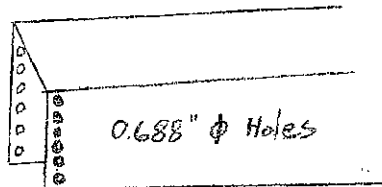
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* Maximum Base Reactions

- Max Reaction = 157.3 kips (LC #2)
- Max Uplift = -4.8 kips (LC #10)
- Max Base Shear = 2.17 (LC #7)

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$$M_x \text{ of Column} = 30' - k$$



* Loading

$$T = 30 \text{ K-ft}$$

$$M = V_1 \left(\frac{H}{2} \right) + V_2 \left(\frac{H}{2} \right) \quad \text{where } V_1 = V_2$$

$$30 \text{ K-ft} = V \left(\frac{4.8''}{24} \right) + V \left(\frac{4.8''}{24} \right)$$

$$V = 75 \text{ Kips}$$

$$V_1 = 37.5 \text{ K}$$

$$V_2 = 37.5 \text{ K}$$

$$V_u = 6.25 \text{ K/Bolt}$$

* Bolt Shear

→ If A325 w/ Threads Included Bolts ($\frac{5}{8}$ " ϕ)

$$\frac{r_n}{\Omega} = 8.29 \frac{\text{K}}{\text{Bolt}} > V_u$$

OK

* Bearing

→ STD $\frac{5}{8}$ " ϕ

$$\frac{r_n}{\Omega} = 34.1 \frac{\text{K}}{\text{in}}$$

$$= 34.1 \frac{\text{K}}{\text{in}} \left(\frac{5}{16}'' \right) = 10.6 \text{ Kips} > V_u$$

OK